Building on the Past, Designing the Future

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Ball Game Hall (Míčovna), Prague Castle, Prague

Affordable and Quality Housing for All



Full programme







Jan Kasl

President of the Czech Chamber of Architects / Czech Republic

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Director of the Czech State Investment Promotion Fund / Czech Republic

Jan Schneider

Director of the Strategies and Analyses of Regional and Housing Policies of the Ministry of Regional Development of the Czech Republic / Czech Republic

Dalibor Hlaváček

Representative of the European Association for Architectural Education / Czech Republic

9:45 - 10:15

keynote speaker

Miroslav Šik

Professor at ETH Zurich / Czech Republic, Switzerland

10:15 - 10:30

Coffee Break

Section 1

Opening Session







Professor at the Faculty of Architecture and Design at STU and the Head of the Architecture Department at the Historical Institute of SAS / Slovakia

Michaela Janečková

Researcher, Institute of Art History, Czech Academy of Sciences / Czech Republic

Irina Tulbure

Researcher / Romania

Jitka Molnárová

Lead Urban Designer, Unit Architects / Czech Republic

11:30 – 12:00 keynote speaker

Sabine Pollak

Architect, Curator Austrian pavilion Architecture Biennale, Venice

2025, Partner Köb&Pollak architecture / Austria

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch Break

Section 2

Housing Transformation







13:00 - 14:15

Susanne Sturm

Managing director of CKRS ARCHITEKTEN / Germany

Doris Wälchli

Architect, Founding Partner of Brauen Wälchli Architectes / Switzerland

Karin Krokfors

Founding partner of Karin Krokfors Architects Associate Professor of Urban Design Practises, Aalto University, School of ARTS, Department of Architecture / Finland

Panel Discussion

14:15 - 14:30

Coffee Break

Section 3

Urban and Architectural Strategies







Lucía Caudet

Deputy Head of Unit / European Commission, Housing Task Force

Patrycja Haupt

Member of the EU Commission's Housing Advisory Group Associate Professor at the Chair of Housing Environment, Faculty of Architecture at the Cracow University of Technology / Poland

Petra Korlaar

Deputy Mayor of the City of Mikulov / Czech Republic

Wolfgang Amann

Managing partner in IIBW – Institute for Real Estate, Construction and Housing Ltd. / Austria

Julien Dijol

Housing Europe Deputy Secretary General & Policy Director

Panel Discussion

15:45 – 16:00 Presentation of the Prague Charter / Declaration

Section 4

Policy and Future Directions





